Letter of Authorization for Interviewers (printed on NCHS letterhead)

To Whom It May Concern:

[INTERVIEWER NAME] has been authorized to work as a field interviewer on the National Survey of Family Growth (NSFG). This major study is sponsored by the National Center for Health Statistics of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. This survey provides information on health, marriage and divorce, having and raising children and medical care.

About 17,000 people in the U.S. will be selected at random to take part in this study.

The interviewers working on this study have been hired and trained by the University of Michigan's Survey Research Center, located in Ann Arbor, Michigan. The National Center for Health Statistics hired the University of Michigan (Contract # 200-2010-33976) to collect the data for the survey.

If you would like more proof that [INTERVIEWER NAME] is an interviewer working for the University of Michigan on this study, please call the Survey Research Center at 1-800-759-7947 (toll-free).

If you would like to know more about the NSFG, you may visit the study's website: www.cdc.gov/nchs/nsfg.htm. You may also call Dr. William Mosher or Dr. Gladys Martinez, at the National Center for Health Statistics (1-866-227-8347 - toll-free), during business hours, Monday through Friday.

Thank you in advance for your help with this important research study.

Sincerely,

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